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[*From our Extra of Yesterday.*]

Arrival of the Steamer Pacific.

War dates to October 26.

The steamer Pacific has just arrived from San Francisco, bringing the following important dispatches:

C. Oppenheimer, the British Columbian defaulter, has been arrested in San Francisco, by M. Prag on a charge of fraud. He was out on bail.

The steamer Tynemouth on her way down had a narrow escape from shipwreck in a fog off North Head. Twenty minutes longer and she would have run ashore where the Tenpessee was wrecked. She escaped through a sudden lift in the fog.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 21.—The Granada *Appeal* of the 17th has a report of the capture and occupation by the Federals of an island in Galveston Bay. Nothing is said of our forces having reached the mainland, and a fight is anticipated should they make the attempt. The *Appeal* also says the Federrls occupied Sabine City a month ago.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 23.—The Harpers Ferry correspondent of the *American* says of affairs: The expedition which visited Loudon county yesterday captured 50 prisoners and 30 horses. The rebels are massing their troops in the Shenandoah Valley, receiving reinforcements daily. They have occupied the line of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad from the vicinity of Harpers Ferry to Paxton's Cut.

Gov. Letcher's recommendation to destroy the Baltimore and Onio railroad, as far as known has been carried out to the full extent, from Harper's Ferry to 10 miles beyond Martinsburg.

FORTRESS MONROE, Oct. 23.—The steamer Guide, from Newbern, reports the capture of the British schooner Adelaide, while attempting to run the blockade at Wilmington.

LOUISNILLE, Oct. 23. A Morgan's forces, in two bands, were at Litchfield and Brownsville last evening.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—Late Southern papers confirm the Federal occupation of Sabine City, Texas. Fire was opened on the Fort at daylight by the fleet, and finally ceased until 4 in the afternoon, when the fleet anchored close to the fort and again commenced firing, which was so hot that the rebels were compelled to evacuate. The Federals took possession.

Despatches from Kentucky indicate that Bragg is now marching on Nashville. Buell is moving towards Bardstown, to make a detour into Tennessee. Gen. Negley, at Nashville, is in somewhat of a critical position, should Bragg arrive before Buell is able to forward reinforcements, and may be compelled to surrender the city.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Gen. Buell has been relieved from the command of the Union army in Kentuckey, and Gen. Rosekrans ordered to the position.

CAIRO, Oct. 24.—Passengers from Columbus, who arrived to-night, report a fight in progress on Island No. 10. No particulars.

JACKSON, Tenn., Oct. 24.—Information has just been received, which says that Major Mudd attacked Haywood's Partisan Rangers 7 miles out of Brownsville, and killed the captain and captured about 40 prisoners, 60 horses, and a wagon load of arms, completely breaking up the party.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—The statement that the movements of the Army of the Potomac are delayed by want of supplies is positively denied by the *Tribune's* Washington correspondent, who says that when the matter was brought to the attention of the Secretary of War, inquiries were instituted, which disclosed the fact that every requisition from McClellan's army is being immediately answered, and every article called for delivered promptly.

The general opinion among officers is that the main body remains in the vicinity of Winchester. Intelligent residents of Frederick City, who profess to know, state that little more than a shell of the Confederate remains in front.

The Bolivar Heights correspondent of the *Tribune* informs us that more than half of the army is now under the command of Burnside, and some infer from this arrangement that when the army does move, it will do so in two bodies, under McClellan and Burnside—one to attack the front and the other the flank.

New Orleans advices report the arrival of the steamer Matanzas, which had been reported lost.

Lieut. Mullan, U. S. A., and party are passengers on the Ariel.

A battle took place on the 23d between Gen. Scotield and the rebels at Pea Ridge. The engagement lasted about an hour, resulting in the defeat of the rebels, with the loss of his artillery.

The rebels have possession of the Tennessee opposite Island No. 10.

Napoleon and Mexico—The Emperor's Real Designs—Italy Aimed at.

The fact of an army of 80,000 men being ready to sail at a moment's notice from France, and all preparations of transports, provisions, and munitions of war being made, is taken to be evidence that this large force is destined for Mexico. This is incredible. Half the number of troops would be sufficient for the purpose indicated. It is argued by others that this army is destined to operate against the United States under cover of the war in Mexico, and that it means intervention in our civil war, with a view to the aid of the Southern Confederacy. This is equally absurd. His 80,000 men, which it would cost him such an immense sum to transport to this country, and supply with food while here, would be of no avail against the numbers we could bring against them, and would not turn the scale against the North. If Napoleon should intervene in our quarrel he could render most service to the South at a small expense by breaking the blockade, and by sending to the rebels ammunition, arms, large and small; iron-clad vessels, clothing, shoes, medicines, and other things so deeply needed by the insurgent army.

The 80,000 men, therefore, are intended for another destination than Mexico or any part of this continent. He may send to Mexico a few more troops, and threaten her with overwhelming numbers, but his object is to obtain from her a treaty and to make her pay the claims due to French citizens. He will send enough of troops to rescue the first expedition from its perilous condition, and having secured his object in making war, he will order the whole force to return. His letter to Gen. Lorencez confirms this view of the case. He says:

"It is against my interest, my origin and my principles to impose any government whatever upon the Mexican people. Let it be chosen with all liberty—that which may suit them best. I only demand sincerity in its foreign relations, and desire but one thing, which is the prosperity and independence of that beautiful country under a government stable and regular."

Not wishing to impose a government upon Mexico, he cannot require 80,000 men for any purpose connected with that country. Yet he wishes Europe to believe that those troops are intended for Mexico.

What is their real destination? All the signs of the times show that Italy, Germany, and all Europe, including France itself, are on the brink of revolution; are, in fact, one vast volcano, with many mouths, each ready to belch forth the fiery lava which will carry destruction in its path. The struggle is likely to begin in Italy, but would be sure to extend to France, and the Emperor himself is in danger of assassination. The capture of Garibaldi, so far from soothing the rising troubles, has only thrown fuel to the flame. It has raised up a dozen Garibaldis, and should his wound, which has become alarming, terminate fatally, there is no knowing what a terrible political convulsion may take place, extending all over Europe. Forewarned is forearmed. Napoleon has prepared himself for the storm, and when it bursts upon him he will be found ready for the emergency. The 80,000 troops are destined for Italy. Like the elder Napoleon, whose course he imitates, but with more caution and secresy, he announces an expedition for one thing while he intends it for another. He closed the first war in Italy purposely without settling the Italian question. He did not want Italian unity. When he does he can secure it very easily. England would stand by him, and it is known neither Prussia nor Russia would object. As for Austria, she is of no account without some powerful ally. The Italian question will now probably receive its final solution, in some form or other, at the hands of Napoleon; and that solution will be such as to redound to the aggrandizement and security of the French Empire. He will either get the island of Sardinia as an equivalent for his services in establishing the unity and independence of Italy, or he will place on the throne some member of the Bonaparte family, in order to make sure of the permanent alliance and friendship of the Italian kingdom. We may dismiss from our minds the idea that the troops Napoleon has now ready for action are intended for Mexico. The sagacious Emperor of the French well knows that he could not hold Mexico against the will of the people of the United States, and that when we shall have settled our domestic strife—as we probably will have done before next May—we would drive the invaders from Mexico much quicker than they came.—*N. Y. Herald.*

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Victoria, Oct. 8th, 1862. oc8 1m

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WINCEYS— do do

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oc24 1m

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oc19 tf

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oc13 1m

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W. M. SEARBY.

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Victoria, V. I., 20th Oct., 1862. oc21

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Victoria, V. I., Oct. 8, 1862. oc9 1m

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Victoria, September 12, 1862. oc13

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New Westminster, Oct 1st, 1862.

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F. J. BARNARD.

New Westminster, October 15th, 1862.

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Victoria, Oct. 24th, 1862. oc25 1m

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The News.

Latest advices by the Pacific do not add much to our stock of knowledge respecting the war in the States. The Confederates were falling back from the Potomac to Gordonville or beyond, Whether this be a ruse on their part to entrap the Federals or whether the latter have been pushing a force towards Richmond *via* James River and West Point, to cause such a movement, it is impossible to say. In fact, there is no certainty whether the telegram be true or not. But thus it is. It gives food for discussion.

Though dates are to the 26th, yet we have no light thrown on the battle of Perryville. That affair from some cause is wrapped in mystery. There is no room to doubt that the Federals met a reverse, but to what extent we cannot accurately say, except we credit them with their own telegram which we published yesterday. By a concerted movement the Confederate forces a short time back made a simultaneous advance towards Baltimore, Cincinnati, and St. Louis; now a reverse movement is going forward. Lee and Jackson are withdrawing towards Richmond. Bragg is going south from the Ohio into Tennessee. A large force of 70,000 Confederates on the frontiers of Arkansas and Missouri are being gathered for some purpose. The strength of this force is doubted. Besides Gen. Curtis reports Federal successes in that region. Possibly it is the policy of the Confederates to retreat south in winter and advance north in summer. Coast operations are attended to by Federal fleets, but they do not seem to amount to much. They merely chafe the outer surface of the Cottonocracy. Look as we may, we cannot see the slightest indications of the end. A Richmond paper of September 27th, forms, we think, a correct opinion as to the final upshot of the war. It holds that nothing but exhaustion of one side or the other will end it. It denies that the abolitionists rule the North; but owns that it is the conservative classes who are waging war, and therefore the North will put forth its utmost strength—Union or death. An undercurrent of feeling is brewing within the North. A similar feeling doubtless exists in the South, to a greater or lesser extent. But in the North, the masses are changing their politics. The Republican party is losing. Whether the change indicate a peace or war policy remains to be told. The change, however, is going on; and should the war drag on for another year, the elections of '63 are likely to throw the North into the hands of the Democrats. In the meantime, there are signs—that in case of serious reverses—there may be a great northern crisis of some sort. The South is a one-man power, evidently under the inspiration of President Davis. The North may find it necessary to copy their example. An army restrained, defeated, weaned from the ties of home, may yet declare for a dictator. If cabinet councils are not productive of more successes, it is almost sure to come.

The tone of feeling in England is neutrality pure and simple—towards both the belligerents. But the ruling classes as a body entertain the belief that a reconstruction of the Union is an impossibility. Whilst both north and south can buy in England what they please—whilst the open ports of the north are ready to receive munitions of war from England—there is a moral weight given to the southern side. The strong language of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Gladstone, at Newcastle, seems to indicate that the Palmerston Cabinet believe it to be only a matter of time when the independence of the South will be achieved, without foreign intervention. His remark that Jeff Davis had made a nation is significant enough; still it is no proof of that nation's permanence.

Canadian News.

The schooner Sirius lately left Port Sarnie, Canada West, for Liverpool, with 1700 barrels of crude oil from the oil springs in that vicinity. This is the fourth cargo shipped this season for England from that place.

Samuel Pelton, a tavern-keeper of Beachville, had his foot so terribly lacerated while endeavoring to jump on the G. W. R. train at St. Catherines, as to require its amputation.

John McFarlane, of 9th con. of Pickering, committed suicide by hanging himself in his father's house. Cause, mental derangement from epileptic fits.

A new Methodist church was recently opened at Napanee. Cost, $8000.

The Cricket match between the Military Eleven of Canada and the Select Eleven of the United States came off lately at Hoboken. The States won, with five wickets to go down. The Canadians immediately threw down the challenge to play the return game the next day.

A fire had occurred in Brockville, in which Mr. J. F. Smart's foundry and the store of Messrs. Chaffey and Gilmour were destroyed. No insurance.

The Hon. F. Lemieux has been re-elected by acclamation member for the De la Dunintaye Division of the Legislative Council.

His Excellency the Governor General accompanied by Earl Mulgrave, Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, and several other minor celebrities, have been making a tour of the Upper Province, visiting Toronto, Hamilton and London. At each of those places they have been exceedingly well received, and enjoyed the trip amazingly.

Wm. Brown, late of Newbury, C. W., fell from the schooner Cincinnati when near Oswego, and was drowned.

At a meeting of the Governor General in Executive Council lately, in Toronto, the Hon. Sir John Beverly Robinson, Bt., took the oaths of office as presiding Judge of the Court of Error and Appeal, which oaths were administered by His Excellency.

Mr. Ayers, on making a balloon ascension over Toronto, was carried by a current of air over Lake Ontario into the State of New York.

A grand Reform demonstration was got up at Port Robinson in honor of the election of Mr. Currie from Niagara division. The Hon. Joseph Howe, Premier of Nova Scotia, and the hon. T. D. McGee, were present and made some good speeches.

The Provincial Agricultural Exhibition had just taken place at Toronto at our last dates.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY AUTHORIZE MR. HENRY McCLURE to collect all accounts due me, in my absence from Victoria, V. I.

LEONARD McCLURE.

Witness: HUGH SHANKS.
Victoria, November 4, 1862. no5 3*

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THE DINNER TO CELEBRATE THE coming of age of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, will take pace on Monday next, the 10th instant, at 6 o'clock.

Persons desirous of being present at the Dinner are requested to make early application for tickets to any of the members of the Committee, or the Honorary Secretaries, viz:

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By order of the W. M.

WM. H. THAIN,
no5 2t Secretary.

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ALL SUBSCRIBERS ARE REQUESTED to attend a general meeting, to be held at the office of Messrs. S. Franklin & Co., Government street, on the Evening of Friday, the 7th instant, punctually at half past 7.

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AT

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YATES STREET,

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 5, 1862.

TICKETS FOR GENTLEMEN, $2 50 EACH.

To be had at Musical Hall. The Subscription List will be closed on Tuesday the 4th of November, at 12 M., after which time the price of admittance of gentlemen will be $5. oc31 td

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THEATRE BUILDING, GOVERNment street, where all kinds of Oregon, California and Tropical fruits (fresh and preserved) are sold wholesale and retail.

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One and all please give us a call and satisfy yourselves.

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AUCTION SALES.

SECOND

WEEKLY SALE

OF

Town, Suburban,

AND

COUNTRY

PROPERTY.

MR. A. J. WELCH

Is honored with instructions to sell by Auction, on

THIS DAY,

Wednesday Next, Nov. 5th,

AT HIS SALESROOM, 9 WHARF STREET,

At 12 o'clock, punctually,

THE FOLLOWING ELIGIBLE PROPERTIES;

CITY LOT,

680, corner of Cormorant street.

SUBURBAN LOT,

47, one acre Lot, Spring Ridge.

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1207, on Montreal street, James Bay, a very large Lot, close to the Boat Builders; on deep Water, well adapted for a Ship Wright or Iron Founder.

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55 acres of valuable Land, situated near the new Church, beyond Mr. Work's Farm, newly Fenced, with good Frame House and Improvements. The Land is all clear, with a never-failing Spring of Water, and is admirably adapted either for a Market Gardener or a Cattle Dealer.

54, Section in the Lake District, containing 80 acres, excellent Land.

59, Section in the Lake District, 100 acres.

With other Lots, particulars of which will appear in future advertisements.

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—AND—

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ALFRED J. WELCH IS NOW PREpared to advance cash to any amount, upon goods of any kind consigned to him for sale. Will advance upon invoices to arrive.

☞ Real Estate Agent. oc20

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ALFRED J. WELCH,

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WILL HOLD A PUBLIC SALE OF Real Estate as above every Wednesday Persons having property for sale are invited to send particulars. No charge will be made under any circumstances whatever, unless a sale is effected, and then only the usual commission will be charged.
oc21 1t

TOWN LOTS WANTED

ON FORT, DOUGLAS, YATES, JOHNson and other streets. Also, on James Bay and at Esquimalt. Also, Farming Land in the neighborhood of Town. Apply to A. J. WELCH, Auctioneer and Estate Agent, 9 Wharf street. oc20

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PORK MARKET,

Next door to Bailey's Grocery Store on Yates street,

HAS JUST OPENED AND WILL KEEP on hand

GRAIN-FED PORK;
CLEAR PORK SAUSAGE,
BLOOD PUDDINGS, PORK PIES,
HEAD CHEESE,
YORKSHIRE SAVORY DUCKS,
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SUGAR CURED HAMS,
BACON, SMOKED JOWLS,
P RE LEAF LARD,
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PICKLED PORK.

CASH PAID FOR FAT HOGS,

J. HEYWOOD,
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The undersigned have now on hand

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TUPPER & CO.'S

Galvanized, Corrugated Iron

FOR ROOFING,

In Sheets of 6ft. by 2ft., 7 by 2, & 8 by 2

With the necessary

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This article will be found on trial to be less expensive than Lead or Tin Plate, and quite as effectual. Directions for fixing the sheets accompany the cases.
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W. A. COOPER,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Provision Merchant,

Will open his

STORE

IN

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Next door to Searby's Brick Building,

On TUESDAY, November 4.
no1 1m

For Sale.

A LARGE STOCK OF

WATCHES,

DIAMONDS,

Clocks, Jewelry, &c., &c.

AT

E. MARKS', YATES STREET.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired and warranted. oc29 1m

To Land Owners and Agriculturists.

A YOUNG MAN WHO HAS HAD THE management of a large estate in one of the finest agricultural counties of Scotland for the last nine years, is now open for an engagement; is thoroughly acquainted with stock raising of all descriptions, as also the reclaiming of waste lands, etc.; and has a good practical knowledge of all the improvements of modern Husbandry.

For reference, &c., apply by letter to the office of the BRITISH COLONIST. no4 1w

GARDENING.

RICHARD D. REED BEGS TO ANnounce to the inhabitants of Victoria and its vicinity that he is prepared to engage in Grafting, Budding, Kitchen and Floricultural Gardening, in all its branches, both plain and ornamental. The season having arrived for Planting Fruit and Ornamental Trees, also the trenching of ground.

All orders left at Reed & Lambert's Grocery Store, corner of Yates and Cook streets, will be promptly attended to. oc31 1m

AUCTION SALES.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

CITY PROPERTY

AND

Country Lands.

Messrs. Franklin

Are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on

TO-MORROW,

Thursday, the 6th Nov., 1862,

AT THEIR SALESROOM, GOVERNMENT STREET

at 12 o'clock, noon,

The following Property.

SIXTEEN SUBDIVISION BUILDING LOTS, James Bay, near the Government Gardens, SUITABLE for COTTAGE RESIDENCES, formed by City Lots Nos. 1772 and 1796, with Prince's street (20 feet wide) running through them as per plan now on view at their office.

—ALSO—

City Lot No. 1050, Johnson street;
" 719, Herald street.

—ALSO—

One acre Suburban Lot, No. 62 Spring Range.

—ALSO—

House and Lot in Cormorant street, part of City Lot No. 437, between Store street and Government street, size 35 by 120 feet; rented for 25 dollars a month.

—ALSO—

A Farm in Esquimalt District, situated on the High Road; Section No. 70, containing 100 acres, 15 under Fence, with a House, Sheds, Well of Water, etc.

—ALSO—

City Lot 622, Herald street;
do 623, do;
do 296, View street;
do 607, Fisguard street;
do 629, Douglas street, corner of Chatham.

—ALSO—

2 Suburban Acres, Nos. 8 and 9, near the Esquimalt Road, adjoining Mr. Buckley's land.

—ALSO—

Sections 5 and 6, I East, South Saanich, part prairie land, adjoining Mr. Frontin's Farm.

Deeds at buyers' expense.
Terms of sale on a liberal credit. oc30

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BLOOD & LIVER SYRUP.

AS A REMEDY, to purify and cleanse the blood, leaving it free from all humors and impurities, we assert with confidence that there is no better remedy than SCOVILL'S BLOOD AND LIVER SYRUP. Give it a trial—it cannot fail to do you good. For sale by all Druggists. REDDINGTON & CO., Agents, 416 and 418 Front street, San Francisco.

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THE LARGEST AND BEST selected stock of Fruit Trees ever offered for sale in Victoria, consisting of over 100 varieties of Apples, 50 Pears, 20 Plums, 25 Cherries.

Also, Currants, Raspberries, Strawberries, etc., etc. And an extensive assortment of Ornamental Trees and Shrubs.

These Trees, etc., come from the great Nurseries of Messrs. Ganglloff & Moxley, Olympia, and F. McNatt, Seattle, W. T., samples of which and catalogues can be seen by applying to THOS. DEAN,
Or at the store of WM CULLEN,
Produce Dealer,
Yates street, near Douglas.

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OF

LONDON JEWELRY

AND

Electro-Plated Goods.

QUARLES & CO.,

COMMISION MERCHANTS

HAVE THE PLEASURE TO INFORM THE public of Victoria that they have opened their House, situated next door to Mrs. Jeffray's establishment, Government street, for the sale of British Manufactured Goods, and now offer for sale a choice and select assortment of London Jewelry. Also, a parcel of Electro-Plated Goods, best quality, consisting of Tea and Coffee Services, Forks, Spoons, &c.

N. B.—To effect prompt sale, the whole of the Stock on hand will be sold at Manufacturers' Prices. no1 1m

Mark the Fleeting Shadow.

VAUGHAN & FULTON,

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THEATRE BUILDING, GOVERNMENT STREET.

Ambrotypes, Cartes de Visite, Photographs, and Stereoscopic Pictures.

Portraits set in Lockets, Pins and Rings, in a superior style. All work warranted. Satisfaction given or no pay exacted. Charges moderate.

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Orders left at the store of Messrs. Henderson & Burnaby will receive attention. no3 1m

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The Trade Supplied.

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For further particulars apply to

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Oct. 1st, 1862. No. 6 Yates street. no3 1m

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P. M. BACKUS,

Auctioneer and Commission Merchant

SALESROOM,

No. 6, Commercial Row, Wharf street
oc13

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AGENCY.

I AM APPOINTED THE AGENT FOR Vancouver Island and British Columbia of the above

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And am authorized to sell at

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Freight and Charges added.
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20 TONS CARMAN ISLAND SALT AT private sale

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Fresh Hops, Irish Moss, Bottle Corks,

COAL OIL LAMPS,

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Best Quality, guaranteed not to explode.

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MODERATOR LAMPS.

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Also, a very large stock of

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Is put up in Bottles blown thus,

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Also, the name stamped on the cork. Buy no other.

Agents—LANGLEY BROS.,
Wholesale and Retail Druggists,
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NOTICE.

HAVING SOLD TO THE VICTORIA Coal and Lumber Co. the business which I purchased from D. Cavanagh in May, 1861, and which I have since carried on myself, I beg leave to recommend my customers and the public to purchase their supplies of Wood and Coal from them.

JOHN A. WOLF.

Victoria, June 13, 1862.

WOOD. COAL.

Victoria Coal & Lumber Co

OFFICE—CITY WHARF, FOOT OF YATES ST.

—AND—

CORNER KANE AND BLANCHARD STREET

HAVE ON HAND A LARGE SUPPLY of Seasoned OAK, PINE and MAPLE WOOD, which they will deliver in any part of the town in quantities to suit.

Also, best quality of

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Delivered free of Drayage.
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Counting House, Official, Printers,

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Diaries for 1863.

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John Williams,

CHIMNEY SWEEPING, WHITE-WASHing and Jobbing of all kinds done on short notice.

Inquire at Market Alley, room No. 2. oc22 1m

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Wednesday Morning, Nov. 5, 1862.

☞ For Late News, See First Page

AUCTION SALE.

Mr. A. J. Welch will sell, at salesroom at 12 o'clock to-day, real estate, consisting of city, suburban and water lots, and farming lands.

IMPORTANT WAGES CASE.—Mr. Davy, surgeon, of Government street, appeared yesterday morning in the police court in answer to a summons for an amount of wages alleged to be due to the plaintiff, Thomas Hardy. Mr. Dennes appeared for the plaintiff, Mr. Bishop for the defendant. The plaintiff swore that he had been hired by the defendant at $2 per working day to go on his farm at Cowichan. This was fully corroborated by the evidence of a man named Smith. It was alleged by the defence that the plaintiff had been engaged under a contract to proceed to the farm, where he was to split rails at the rate of $1 50 per hundred, and to erect the same into a snake fence at $2 per hundred feet. Letters from the plaintiff to defendant were put in to contradict the evidence with regard to the hire for wages, and Mr. Davy's son was also called as a witness. Mr. Pemberton finally made an order for the amount of wages claimed, ($42) $4 being deducted for provisions furnished, without costs, in consideration of the plaintiff having in the first place made a demand for $50 before legal proceedings were taken.

VICTORIA THEATRE.—This institution continues to draw a good attendance. Last evening was the first time of Mr. Wood's appearance for some weeks, owing to a severe attack of illness. And need we say with such a comedian and the capital actresses Miss Sweet, Miss Belle Divine, and Miss C. Howard, the performance went off well. Mr. Craushaw appeared as Charles Franklin in the comedy of "Sweethearts and Wives," a character well suited to his qualities. Miss Lulu Sweet as Eugenia, did very well, ably assisted by Miss Belle Divine as Laura. Mr. H. Taylor took the part of Sandford. That fine specimen of the crusty though warm-hearted old Salt, Admiral Franklin, was acted to perfection by J. S. Potter. After some good music, the evening closed with the "Love in Masquerade." To-night Mr. Wood appears in "Paul Pry," with Miss Lulu Sweet as Phebe. Miss Belle Divine will sing, and appear as Colin, with Mr. Mortimer as Father Philip, in the farce of "Nature and Philosophy."

LET OFF EASY.—Joseph C. Jones, the young man arrested on Friday by officer Douglas for knocking at a private house at an untimely hour, to the annoyance of the inmates, appeared on remand yesterday morning to answer the charge of being a suspicious character. Mr. Bishop appeared for the defence. Geo. Pestal was called by the prisoner, who said that he knew him when he held a situation in Bristol, and that he was the son of a respectable tradesman of that place. The prisoner on this occasion pleaded in excuse for his conduct, that he had called at the house to take any message to England that the ladies who resided there wished to send. Mr. Pemberton said he had acted very improperly in going to the house at such an hour, when his misconduct might seriously compromise the character of the young ladies who lived there. He ordered him to furnish his own recognizance for £10; in default, to suffer imprisonment for one month.

NO MAIL.—The Pacific brought no Canadian or States mail on her last trip, although the mails from the East arrive in San Francisco daily, by the overland route. This grievance has so often occurred of late as to have become almost chronic, and is productive of the most serious annoyance and inconvenience to a large portion of our population. Doubtless the San Francisco post office officials are entirely to blame in this matter, but it is high time that our government should take some vigorous steps to prevent its recurrence.

WINTER EVENING LECTURES.—During last winter a fortnightly series of twelve lectures were delivered in this town, under the able management of a Committee, consisting of Messrs. Sproat, Stewart, and Glover. By the successful efforts of these gentlemen, many pleasant evenings were provided. The diversity of the subjects introduced to the audience, constituting not their least charm. Though we have occasional enquiries as to the probability of their revival during the approaching season, we believe nothing has yet been done towards the re-establishment of these amusing and instructive entertainments.

THE PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.—At a meeting of the Committee, held last evening, it was decided that the dinner in honor of this event is to take place on the 10th instant. The other arrangements are to be completed during this evening. Over $1400 has been already collected in aid of the celebration. The Committee have devoted the sum of $250 to the Race Fund, to be called the Prince of Wales' Cup, and to be run for on the 10th. A ball is also on the *tapis*.

ACCIDENT.—Yesterday afternoon, about five o'clock, one of the sidewalls of a building in course of erection in the Ravine, and fronting upon Store street, fell down. Three bricklayers were at work upon it at the time, one of whom sustained some injury from his fall. The cause of the wall giving way is said to be the bad materials used in its construction by the contractor. The building was being erected by Mr. Everett.

UNSUCCESSFUL.—The steamer Golden Age, which arrived at San Francisco on the 26th ult., reports the U. S. steamer Active on her return, having been unsuccessful in her endeavor to recover the treasure lost at the wreck of the Golden Gate. Some gentlemen from Panama, who have machinery for getting pearl oysters, talk of going to Manzanillo with a party of divers, to try their luck.

PIONEER TANNERY.—Messrs. Hartley and Barnett have established a tannery on Rock Bay, in this city, which is, we believe, the first and only establishment of the kind in either of the Colonies. Messrs. H. and B. are both practical workmen, and will doubtless prove the truth of the old saying "there is nothing like leather," particularly that of the Pioneer Tannery.

GONE.—The Hon. Malcolm Cameron and Mr. L. M'Clure, sailed for England in the Pacific last evening. Both gentlemen go well armed with documents to represent the grievances of both colonies. We have no doubt but they will arrive in time to give a finishing stroke to the present administration. *Nous verrons.*

FROM COMAX.—The schooner Carolena arrived from Comax yesterday. She reports everything going on smoothly in the settlements. On her way down she met the Grappler going up. The Carolena brought a load of coals from Nanaimo for the Victoria Coal Co.

California Letter.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27, 1862.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—We arrived here on the 24th inst., after a pleasant passage of four days. We would have made the run in three days I believe, had it not been for the fog we experienced, which caused us to lay-to all of Thursday night, besides compelling us to run out from the land previously. The Tynemouth is a splendid sea-boat and a very fast sailer. Her captain and officers are the most gentlemanly men I ever traveled with. They did all in their power to make the passage a pleasant one, which in every respect it was. It is a great pity that the boat with her officers could not be profitably employed in the Victoria trade. She would be a great acquisition.

Since my departure from here, nearly three years ago, San Francisco has grown to be a great city indeed. All of the southwestern portion of the city, which three years ago was nothing but sand-hills, has been levelled off, and is now closely built upon. The amount of labor that was required to accomplish this, must have been immense. On the southern end of Montgomery street, some of the finest buildings I ever saw have been erected. They would do credit to New York, indeed. First on the list is the Russ House, on the west side of Montgomery street, which extends from Pine to Bush; then further along on the same side is the Lick House, between Sutter and Post streets, and on the opposite side of the street, on the corner of Bush, stands the Occidental. They are splendid buildings as I have stated, and stand A No. 1 as hotels. There are many other splendid improvements, but they are too numerous to particularize.

A fatal accident occurred here on Saturday noon. The boiler in the National Flour Mills exploded, killing four men outright, and injuring several others. The building is situated on Market street, between first and second, and adjoins Skelley's Omnibus stables in the rear. The explosion broke through the rear wall, killing one man in the stable, and injuring many horses and omnibuses.

C. Oppenheimer was arrested here on Thursday on a complaint lodged by M. Prag, for fraud. He was out on bail on Saturday. He says he is entirely innocent, and that he actually paid out money of his own on account of the work done on the road. However I am inclined to think his creditors don't think so, and that they will make him suffer if the law will reach him. He seems to think that he has the best of them, as they cannot go to law here for a debt contracted in British Columbia. [The California law does not prohibit the collection of foreign debts.—ED.]

The Golden Age arrived yesterday from Panama with about 500 passengers. She brought news of the destruction of the English steamer *Blanche*, by a Federal cruiser, on the coast of Cuba. It is thought that it may cause some trouble with the Spanish Government.

The people here begin to fear the war-tax. They are afraid that it is going to press heavily upon them. I think, from all that I can learn, that the President's proclamation will have the effect of disuniting the people of the North. A great many think (and no doubt correctly) that there is too much abolition influence brought to bear on him. The Provost Guard are on duty all over the city, and any one heard expressing Southern sentiments is arrested and sent to Fort Alcatraz; so you see one has to keep his mind to himself, if he is imbued with Southern feelings.

The weather has been very warm since I arrived. Yesterday (Sunday) was the hottest day of the season.

English News.

By the arrival of the steamer Pacific we have details of English news to the 14th September, being one week later than our last files.

We all know the truth of the old saw, "Necessity is the mother of invention." Apparently, it is about to receive another confirmation in the experiments that have recently been made with a view of procuring a substitute for cotton. Several individuals have been engaged in the attempt. Flax, hemp, and jute, have all been operated upon, and with a considerable degree of success. So much so, indeed, that as the European *Times* says, "The time is not distant when much of the distress which now exists in the manufacturing districts will be arrested by the production of a material that will once more set in motion the machinery that has been so long idle. Some of the inventors may, as regards cheapness and durability, even improve on the cotton the loss of which has been so keenly felt." Jute, which is the principal article proposed as a substitute, took a very sudden rise of about £8 per ton, as soon as its value became known.

Newcastle-on-Tyne was the scene recently of a great demonstration in favor of Garibaldi. Resolutions were passed condemnatory of the conduct of the Emperor of the French. A number of speeches were made, and the affair concluded by an invitation being extended to Garibaldi to take up his residence in England.

A dreadful fire has occurred at the Liverpool workhouse. The fire it appears broke out in the children's dormitory, and owing to the want of a supply of water it increased so rapidly that it became impossible to extricate the inmates from the flames. Some twenty-two lives in all were lost—three of them having fallen victims to their exertions to save the children. In the dormitory, says the *European Times*, describing the scene of the fire, the bedsteads were all of iron, and in one row of these lay fourteen bodies of lifeless children, charred and blackened, and partially covered with fragments of the roof. Here might be seen a head with the brains protruding; there a body disembowelled; farther off a child who in her death agony had turned upon her face; and next to her, overhanging the bedstead, was the body of another female child, the skull half emptied. Altogether the spectacle presented in this room was of the most appalling character.

It is reported that Mr. Saunders, who lately arrived in England as the Confederate agent, is the bearer from Richmond of the draft of a commercial treaty with the principal European powers. However, as no negotiations on that subject could take place before the recognition of the Confederate Government as something more than a belligerent, the proposition would be withheld until justified by circumstances.

M. Veillard, the contractor for the French refreshment in the International Exhibition, had failed for a pretty large sum. His estate will pay, it is thought, five shillings in the pound. It is said, that he paid the Hon. Mr. Cadogan the sum of £2,000 to obtain for him the contract in opposition to M. Morrish of the English department.

The Ministers sitting as Privy Councillors have published an order in the *Gazette* prohibiting the removal of sheep from certain districts in Wilts without a clean bill of health, in order to prevent the spreading of the disease which is making such ravages.

The English newspapers are beginning to complain of the insecurity of life and property resulting from the ticket-of-leave system. The number of garrote robbers in various towns in England and more especially in London, would seem to show that gangs of ruffians who follow plunder for their living, are on the increase. In fact, England is now the convict settlement instead of Australia.

Mr. Glaesher recently made another scientific ballon ascension from Wolverhampton in company with Mr. Coxwell. The extraordinary altitude of six miles from the surface of the earth was reached by them. Mr. Glaesher became insensible and continued so till the ballon descended to the altitude of five miles. We learn, says the *Dispatch*, that it is the intention of the British Government to cause a new and distinctive coinage to be struck for the Colony of Hong Kong. It is intended that the dollar shall for the present remain the unit of value, and that the new coins shall comprise divisions of that unit.

FROM NEW ZEALAND.—By the arrival of the bark Constance at San Francisco, we have news from Auckland to the 20th of August:—The aboriginees, 800 in number, lately made a demonstration against the British redoubts on the banks of the Waikateo river, but no collision occurred. The *Southern Cross* says the natives cannot be trusted. Extensive gold fields have been struck at Mongonui.

FROM PUGET SOUND.—The steamer Eliza Anderson arrived from Olympia yesterday morning, with several passengers, eleven horses, twenty-eight cattle, two hundred and eighty sheep, and forty-one hogs, besides a quantity of general freight.

ADDITIONAL FROM THE STATES.

[BY THE STEAMER PACIFIC.]

FORTRESS MONROE, Oct. 23.—The Richmond *Enquirer* of the 20th says: We have nothing from the army of the Potomac. The enemy's cavalry have renewed their raids. In Fauquier, on Saturday, they visited Bristow's Station, on the Orange and Alexandria railroad. They also have visited Warrenton again in considerable force. A train loaded with stores narrowly escaped capture by them on Saturday, near Bristows.

PLEASANT VALLEY, VA., Oct. 24.—Orders have been received in Burnside's command to issue no more clothing than the men can carry comfortably in a forced march. It is reported here that Hooker rejoins the army on Monday.

LEBANON, MO., Oct. 24.—Information has been received that a body of 500 guerrillas camped last night 25 miles west of this place. A Federal force was sent against them this morning. Nothing has as yet been heard as to what they have done. The guerrillas fell in with the mail coach yesterday, capturing five passengers, all U. S. Officers, the horses and mails.

GALLIPOLIS, Ohio, Oct. 25.—Gen. Morgan has arrived, and is now in command of his division at this place.

CAIRO, Ill., Oct. 25.—The contrabands at this point are suffering intensely for want of clothing. We have now in the neighborhood from 800 to 1,000 men quartered in open buildings, most of them almost naked and nearly destitute of bedding. Two are said to have died from exposure last night.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The following has been received by General Halleck, from St. Louis: Our arms are entirely successful again in north west Arkansas. Gen. Schofield, finding that the enemy had encamped at Pea Ridge, sent General Blunt with the 1st division westward, and moved towards Huntsville with his reserve force. Gen. Blunt, by making a hard night's march, reached and attacked the rebel force at Maysville, near the northwest corner of Arkansas, at 7 o'clock on the morning of the 23d. The enemy was estimated at from 5,000 to 7,000 strong. The engagement lasted about an hour, resulting in the total route of the enemy and the loss of all his artillery. A battery of 6-pounders and a large number of horses and a portion of their transportation and garrison equipments were captured. Our cavalry and howitzers were still in pursuit of their scattered forces when the messenger left.

Our loss is small. Gen. Schofield pursued Gen. Hindman beyond Huntsville, coming close upon him, when his force precipitately fled beyond Boston Mountain. All the organized forces of the rebels have thus been driven back to the valley of the Arkansas river, and the army on the frontiers has gallantly and successfully accomplished its mission. GEN. CURTIS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Exchange dull at 144 for bankers' bill; gold firm at 31; bars quiet—nominal; stocks without change.

CHICAGO, October 25.—By the arrival of the steamship *Saxon* at New York, on Saturday last, from Havana, it appears that considerable excitement prevailed in that city in consequence of an alleged outrage by the officers of an American man-of war. The facts of the case are briefly these: On the 7th, a steamer was seen rapidly approaching the Spanish coast, 6 miles westward of the Moro Castle, pursued by a man-of-war steamer. She had the British colors flying, and was clearly endeavoring to make the harbor of Havana, but the Federal vessel headed her off, and the vessel was obliged to run ashore. Launches were at once dispatched from the cruiser for the purpose of capturing the captain and crew, and getting the vessel off if possible before reaching the shore. However, a detachment of Spanish soldiers appeared, when the commander of the boats ordered the vessel to be fired, which was done, and the cruiser proceeded to sea. The ship destroyed was the steamer *Blanche*, believed to be from port Lavaca, Texas, with a cargo of cotton. The name of the Federal vessel is not stated. It is said the facts of the case will be laid before the Home Government.

NEW YORK, October 25.—We have but little news this morning. A Bolivar Heights correspondent of the 24th says, contrabands from Stonewall Jackson's command report that after the utter destruction of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, west of Martinsburg, the entire rebel army commenced falling back yesterday morning, and that rebel officers believe Lee's intention is to enter near [retreat] to Gordonsville. This falling back seems to be corroborated by the unusually strong pickets in our front yesterday and to-day. This morning a squad of rebel cavalry came upon our videttes unperceived, and dashed into our infantry pickets, but were driven back with considerable firing on both sides.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—The official majorities of 62 out of 66 counties of the State, and a reliable estimate of the four remaining ones, give Slenker, Democratic candidate for State Auditor, 3,535 majority.

BOSTON, Oct. 25,—A destructive fire occurred at Acton, Mass., last night, which destroyed property valued at $25,000.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The *Star* says we have very late information from the country between the lines of Gen. Sigel's corps and Gordonsville. Three days ago the only rebel troops occupying it were a regiment of North Carolina cavalry, with a regiment of infantry. They had their headquarters at Warrenton, with their pickets along the Rappahannock. At times they sent out small parties, in various directions. Culpepper Court House had then ceased to be the railroad terminus, at which supplies from Richmond for Lee's army were put on wagons. They are now taken to Staunton, and wagoned all the way up to Winchester. This change is doubtless caused by the fear lest Sigel should cut off their transportation, which he could do if they continued to travel the roads from Culpepper Court House to Winchester.

The Houston *Telegraph* extra of the 4th October, gives the following particulars of the occupation of Galveston by the Union forces: The Federal commander notified the citizens that four days would be given for the removal of the women and children. At the evening of the last day the rebel troops commenced evacuating the city, which was occupied by the Federals the next day.

We learn from Memphis that a frightful accident occurred on the Mississippi Central Railroad below Stuckhill Station, Sunday last, by a collision of two trains; 30 persons were killed, and nearly 60 wounded, most of them soldiers. The accident was the result of carelessness.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—We learn by the gunboat Dacotah, eight days from Key West, that Admiral Dupont was expected back from the North with instructions to proceed on a hostile demonstration at once. It was thought that Mobile and Charleston would be attacked on his return.

The Mortar Fleet at Pensacola had received sailing orders—all vessels belonging to it which had arrived, were heavily armed.

The yellow fever was rapidly disappearing from the squadron, and but a few deaths have recently occurred.

SANDY HOOK, Oct. 24.—The steamer Ariel from Aspinwall, reports the ship Reporter from New York for San Francisco, as totally wrecked off Cape Horn; only four persons were saved.

The ship Erie was seen on the 20th of August, 79 miles south of Cape Horn, abandoned and dismasted.

A decree has been issued in Nicaragua that all persons coming into the Republic must bring passports, and all negroes and other colored races are excluded.

The revolution has again broken out in Bolivia, but would probably be suppressed.

Several British ships of war have been sent to Callao.

A battle had taken place at Santa Barbara, near Granada, lasting 6 hours, in which Mosquera defeated the Conservatives with great loss.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Exchange, dull; 142 for Exchange Merchants and Bankers' Bills; Gold lower, closing at 31; 6's of '81, 103@103¼; 7 3-10 Treasury Notes, 105; Pacific Mail, 129¼.

From several sources we learn that there is great activity in the army of the rebels in the vicinity of Helena, Ark., Holly Springs, Miss., and Vicksburg. They evidently contemplate an attack, but at what point is not known. The number of troops at Holly Springs is said to be 70,000. This, however, is probably an exaggeration.

An officer from Vicksburg reports that the Conscription Act is vigorously enforced. Every man under 45 is in the army.

ASPINWALL, Oct. 12.—The Ariel from New York with the California passengers, came into Aspinwall last night in a most awful plight. She leaked badly in the hull and boilers, so that platforms had to be built in the fire room to keep the men out of the water. She was so overburdened with freight on deck and under deck, piled in the cabins and everywhere else, that she made ten days and a half passage, and her passengers were packed as closely in some portions of the vessel as herrings in a barrel. Much of the passengers' baggage was spoiled by being piled on the hurricane deck, exposed to the salt water and rains. Add to this that the master, Minna, the chief engineer and others, were sick with fever, and the crew too small, as always, to work the ship, and it is a wonder how she ever got here.

☞ The Eliza Anderson brought over, yesterday, the body of the late wife of Judge Fitzhugh, of Bellingham Bay, the deceased lady having expressed a wish to be buried in this city. The interment will take place today.

YORKSHIRE MARKET.—This is a new establishment where nothing but pork in one form or the other is sold, from fresh chops to Bologna sausages.

☞ The steamer Pacific sailed for San Francisco last night, at 10 o'clock, carrying from this city about 400 passengers, and $169,650, shipped by Wells, Fargo & Co.

EUROPEAN INTELLIGENCE

NEW YORK, October 24.—The *Kangoroo*, from Liverpool, brings one day's later news.

The English journals continue to comment on Lincoln's proclammation. The London *Daily News* says it may do better service than at first supposed. The *News* [*Times?*] considers it the most powerful evidence yet given of the incapacity of Lincoln's Administration. The *Morning Telegraph* anticipates, from the action of political parties in the North, not anarchy but trouble, and says the North is rousing itself to snatch affairs from those whose incapacity has done the work of treason.

In France, the *Constitutionnel* does not regard the Maryland Campaign as decidedly disastrous to the Confederates, whose sole aim was to capture Harper's Ferry. The *Moniteur's* New York correspondent's summary places the Federal losses heavier than the rebels, but says the advantage remained indisputably with McClellan.

Garibaldi goes to Genoa shortly.

LIVERPOOL, October 9th.—Gladstone, in a speech made at Newcastle, made a statement that Jeff Davis had made the South a nation, and considered separation certain. The papers generally approve his remarks, and some think the recognition of the South will soon follow.

SANDY HOOK, Oct. 24.—The steamer Australasian, from Liverpool the 11th, and Queenstown the 12th, has arrived.

The law for emancipating the slaves in the Dutch West Indies, in July next, has passed the States General of Holland, by a vote of 45 to 7.

A disgraceful riot in Hyde Park, London, occurred on Sunday. A Garibaldian meeting was called, and an immense crowd assembled, composed of roughs, Irish and English, apparently intent on finishing the row which had taken place on the previous Sunday. It continued two hours, and by 3 o'clock in the afternoon about 100,000 persons had entered the Park, many of them carrying sticks, which were freely used. Stones were also thrown, directed to different parts of the Park. In some cases knives were used. Several hundred soldiers off duty took part in the fray. The Irish were finally overpowered. The cause of the outbreak is not stated.

Consols closed at 93¾@93⅞.

Advices from Italy say that Garibaldi is about to issue another manifesto, and that he still endeavors to carry out his project of taking Rome.

The Paris Bourse was inanimate at 71@81.

The following is additional news by the Australasian:

Gladstone's strong language in regard to the South continued to attract attention.

It is asserted that the English and French Governments have announced their intention to persist in their policy of perfect neutrality.

The London *Times'* city articles says the commercial classes of London are as strongly opposed as ever to any action on the part of the Government toward the formal recognition of the South, and hints that the desire for recognition comes rather from the North than the South.

Sir John Packenton, in a late speech, said that the time had come when England and France, and probably Russia, ought to offer mediation in American affairs on the basis of a separation, and on a clear understanding that if the mediation is not accepted, recognition must follow.

Sir Bulwer Lytton, in a speech, looked upon the restoration of the Union as impossible, and he thought slavery wouldn't long survive separation.

The police have prohibited further Garibaldian meetings in Hyde Park.

It is reported that Garibaldi is offended at the terms of the amnesty, and reserves his right of protesting against it.

The London *Morning Post* draws a parallel between Lincoln's Government and that of the ex-King of Naples, and charges Lincoln with proceedings closely resembling those which preceded the downfall of the Neapolitan throne, and says Francis of Naples failed in pursuing a similar course, which, should Abraham of America succeed in, the paper questions whether Europe, in the event of any signal victory attending the Confederate arms, would be justified in longer withholding its recognition.

IMPORTANT.—We have a report apparently well founded, that Mr. Seward has proposed a joint protectorate of the Isthmus and transit to England and France. Since they have heard of our State revolution, the British have kept a steam frigate both at Panama and Aspinwall, and the French keep one at Panama. We have now in port the U. S. steam corvette Lancaster and steam frigate Saranac, the British war propeller Cameleon and the Topaz, and the French war propeller Bayonnaise. In Aspinwall are the British war propeller Jason and the U. S. brig Perry.—*S. F. Bulletin.*

LONDON HOTEL.—New hotels are springing up in all directions through town. No greater evidence of our progress need be cited. The last new hotel completed has been erected by Messrs. Wriglesworth, at the corner of Broad and Johnson streets.

☞ Odell, who is the principal witness in the case of assault to come off at the next assizes, attempted to leave on the Pacific last night, but was arrested by the policeman in attendance and sent up to the city for safe custody.

ARRIVAL OF THE PACIFIC.—The steamer Pacific, Capt. Burns, arrived from San Francisco, *via* Portland, yesterday morning. She brought sixty-seven passengers, and a large cargo of general merchandise.

THE DELEGATE PAR-EXCELLENCE.—We are told that something over one thousand names have been attached to a circular requesting Mr. McClure to bring the grievances of the Colony under the notice of the Duke of Newcastle.

ACCIDENT AND LOSS OF LIFE.—The boiler in the National Flour Mills, San Francisco, exploded on the 25th October. Four men are supposed to have been killed, and several persons severely wounded. The shock of the explosion was experienced all over the city.

TRAILS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.—C. E. Barrett Leonard, Esq., who cruised round the Island several times, in his yacht the Templar, has published a work in London under the above title.

☞ The bark Gold Hunter, Hemveaton, cleared for Victoria, Oct. 23d. The bark Ocean Bird, Hall, on the 25th.

CHARTERED.—The steamer Tynemouth has been chartered by Messrs. Macondray & Co., San Francisco, for Hongkong.

☞ The proprietor of the Star and Garter Hotel, Government street, on the 1st November, will have ready for the public at large his celebrated Hot Spice Elder Wine. Also, for the reception of his guests, a magnificent Parlor will be ready at the same time.

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DIED.

At Whidby's Island, Washington Territory, Nov. 1st, Cora Bossie, aged 31 years, wife of Judge Edmund C. Fitzhugh, late of Prince Georges county, Maryland, U. S.

Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend her funeral from Christ Church, at 12 o'clock this day.

PASSENGERS.

Per stmr PACIFIC—From San Francisco—W Gresley, Mrs Henry, Mrs Ludgate and 3 children, Miss Laumiester, Mrs R Wallace, C C Perry and wife, J R Christian, James Ludgate B Thornton and wife, W Neufelder, P Akens, S Geron, Gus Lawrence, Jennie Wright, Mrs M J Ensign and children, Mr Birnie, Saml Oliver, Mrs Ellen Reid and children, E Rhodes, Peter Bryant, John G Day, wife and children, S Neuman, Walker, J White, Mrs Demstan and 3 children, Mrs Colter, Chinawoman and boy, Mr and Mrs Develen, P Pappenheimer, Mr and Mrs Stoolbred, J Frazer, J W Wilcox, D Martin, R E Solomon, R Mason, S Farrar, L Knott, Chas Swan, T Harris, Mr Henderson and daughter, J Huntoon, S M Reno, H C Page, J Spigen, R Cohen, J Coyle, T Evans, M Fox.

IMPORTS.

Per stmr PACIFIC—From San Francisco—John Banks, 1 pg mouldings and brushes; Henry Nathan, 10 pgs butter 3 cheese 1 wash blue 15 mustard 3 ginger 2 sage 5 alspice 5 cloves 5 cassia; Goldberg & Co, 1 pg cloths; P M Backus, 2 pgs saddlery; Morehead & Co, 10 pgs tea; Wallace & Stuart, 1 pg iron pipe 2 gas fixtures; S Zinn, 1 pg fancy goods; Gambitz, 1 pg flannels; Harris, 20 pgs onions; Langley Bros, 3 pgs drugs; C A Bayley, 2 pgs butter 1 cheese; M Corbiniere, 1 pg butter 1 cheese; Caire & Grancini, 4 pgs hdware; Yin Wo Sang, 2 pgs opium; J Boscowitz, 3 pgs cigars; J D, 11 pgs hdware; Sutro & Co, 7 pgs segars; Dickson, Campbell & Co, 24 pgs coal 1 silver ware; Sutro & Co, 1 pg toys; W M Searby, 2 pgs glass ware 3 lamps 10 drugs; H M Cohen, 1 pg clothing; E Marvin, 1 pg hdware 1 saws 2 forks 1 mdse 1 castings; M Pragg, 12 pgs brushes and hdware; F Grelly, 1 pg segars; Q, 1 pg side lights; Hibben & Carswell, 1 pg stationery 1 books; Janion & Green, 1 pg letter press; J S Drummond, 21 pgs hdware; Braverman & Lewin, 3 pgs segars; J K Prior, 18 pgs hdware globes, etc; A L B, 1 pg glass; British Colonist, 6 pgs paper; E Miller, 6 pgs mdse; G Martin, 1 pg beef; G A Barnes, 1 pg mdse; S Serves, 1 pg mdse; N Sullivan, 1 pg mdse; W Pruyn, 20 pgs oil; Edgar & Aime, 2 pgs mdse; R Millard, 2 pgs mdse; Wells, Fargo & Co, 28 pgs express; Fellows & Roscoe, 24 pgs hardware. Value $6174 31.

From Portland—J Kenneth, 22 bxs fruit; Morris & Monnett, 60 do do; J K Prior, 1 bdl iron pipe; Southgate & Co, 350 bxs fruit; P O'Dwyer, 80 sks flour 20 bxs fruit 5 pgs butter; Sutro & Co, 13 pgs lard; E M, 15 bxs fruit; Wells, Fargo & Co, 15 pgs express; R Brodrick, 25 pgs fruit 6 do butter; Grant & Tarbell, 52 pgs fruit; Jas Lowe, 83 pgs fruit; Herchmer, 12 pgs fruit; G W D, 20 pgs fruit; B, 22 do; J Begg, 2 pgs fruit trees 80 fruit; E W, 115 do 1 pg mdse; J C, 8 pgs fruit; Shirpser Bros, 11 do 8 pg mdse; K A, 34 pgs fruit; J M H, 124 do 1 wagon; F M Backus, 1 pg leather; B Low, 1 lot furniture; J C K, 103 pgs fruit; S, 15 do do; M M, 11 pgs mdse; G M, 12 pgs fruit 3 coops; B H, 1 stage wagon; Guild, David & Co, 96 pgs fruit; D, 4 pgs eggs; J G Day, 2 horses 1 wagon; Knott, 6 horses; Hill, 2 do; J Newman, 1 do. Value not specified.

Per stmr ELIZA ANDERSON—From Olympia—Order, 32 hogs 4 oxen 1 horse 1 coop chickens 21 sks bran 2 yokes 180 hd sheep 8 horses 16 cattle 9 hogs; Janion & Green, 100 bbls flour; F. Reynolds, 18 hd cattle 31 sks bran; Passenger, 2 horses and wagon; T Dean, 5 bdls trees; Order, 1 bx eggs; H Cohen, 14 sks oysters; C Wait, 29 sacks onions; Edgar and Aime, 36 bbls flour; Value, $4681.

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1. PONY RACE—Under 14 hands, catch weight Entrance $5, $30 to be added; mile heats, 2 in 3.

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3. NAVY PURSE OF $70 OR UPWARDS, with $5 entrance added; weight, 13 stone; mile heats, 2 in 3: horses to be ridden by Naval Officers only.

SECOND DAY, Tuesday, November 11th, 1862.

1. BEACON HILL SWEEPSTAKES. $20 each entrance, $10 forfeit added to $100. Winner of the Prince of Wales Cup to carry 7 lbs extra; weight 10 stone; straight 1 mile and a half.

2. LADIES' PURSE—$75 with $10 entrance added; forfeit $5; second horse to save his stake; weight 11 stone; half mile heats, 2 in 3 Winners of Prince of Wales cup and Beacon Hill Stakes disqualified.

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The Directors of the Colonial Life Assurance Company beg to intimate that they have appointed Mr. John James Cochrane Agent for the Company at Victoria, Vancouver Island, with power to receive proposals for Assurance on the lives of persons resident in Vancouver Island and British Columbia.

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The Company have established Branch Offices and Agencies in all the British Colonies, where premiums may be received and claims paid.

Every information regarding the rates of premium for residence in the various parts of the world, and generally as to the company's terms of Assurance, may be obtained on application to the Company's Agents.

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Fine Pale Ale $2 00 per doz.
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Delivered to any part of the city in quantities of not less than 5 gallons, or 1 dozen.

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Of every description. oc19

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Messrs. A. Pugol & Co.,

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Pure Vaccine Matter always on hand.

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Office adjoining Dr. Davies', near the Globe Hotel, Government street, Victoria.

Attendance from 10 until 4. oc29 1m*

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HAS TAKEN ROOMS FOR THE PRESent at Mrs Heal's Boarding House, Fort street, where he may be consulted at all hours, when the duties of his profession will permit.

Dr. E. has for many years past devoted a large share of his attention and practice to the treatment of the following special diseases, viz:

Diseases peculiar to the FEMALE SYSTEM.
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All of which will be treated on the most improved and scientific principles, and the most unremitting attention and secrecy observed. oc27 1m*

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CAPITAL £2,000,000 STERLING.

THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THIS ASSOCIAtion number about Four Thousand, representing a subscribed Capital of £1,027,971 sterling.

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J. J. SOUTHGATE,
Wharf street.

Victoria, V. I., 7th August, 1862. oc8 eod

Cosmopolitan Livery and Sale Stable.

PLASKITT & GLIDE,

SUCCESSORS TO JOHN PARKER.

THE UNDERSIGNED, IN UNDERtaking the management of the above Stables, on and after the 1st November, beg are determined to leave nothing unattempted on their part to make it the MOST THOROUGH ESTABLISHMENT in the city.

The old patrons of Mr. Parker, and all who want

A GOOD OUTFIT, DAY OR NIGHT,

In riding or driving, will find Harry and Bill on hand to accommodate them.

We have also Drays and Wagons, and will attend promptly to all orders left at the Stable, or at Mr. Backus' Auction House.

Horses left on Livery or for Sale will have the best treatment.

oc28 1m PLASKITT & GLIDE.

WM. JEFFRAY

Is now prepared to Lease on terms highly advantageous to

Capitalists commencing Business,

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY, SITUated in what must eventually become the centre of the Commercial operations of the Town:

5 LOTS ON STORE STREET, between Cormorant and Fisguard streets.

6 LOTS ON FISGUARD STREET, well adapted for private residences.

6 LOTS IN THE REAR OF THE ABOVE, well adapted for parties whose engagements require a residence near business.

The above property is situated near the

Best Water Frontage on the Harbor,

And where extensive improvements are about to be commenced immediately.

Plans of the Lots and other information will be afforded on application at the office, Wharf street.
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6000 Choice Fruit Trees:

Now is the time to plant your trees.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF APPLE, PEAR, Plum, Cherry, Gooseberry, Raspberry, Black, White, and Red Currant, Strawberry Plants, Rhubarb, Shrubs, and Ornamental Trees, Flowers in Pots, Garden Seeds, etc.

All trees planted and bought from the undersigned will be warranted for one season. Also, gardens laid out and attended to.

All orders left at the Prince Albert Nursery or at the New England Bakery will be promptly attended to.

CHARLES DECHENT,
Proprietor.

Victoria, Oct. 11, 1862 oc13 1m

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Wagon Road Company (Limited).

APPLICANTS FOR STOCK IN THE above Company are requested to send in their names as early as possible to the Office of MACDONALD & CO., Bankers, Yates street, or to A. R. GREEN & CO., corner of Fort and Langley streets, where persons wishing to subscribe can sign the Memorandum of Association.

A. R. GREEN, Secretary pro tem.

Victoria, Sept. 10th, 1862. oc23

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FERRY BOAT.

THE NEAREST ROUTE TO THE COWICHAN Settlement is by the Ferry, past Thompson's Farm, from Victoria.

A good, stout, seaworthy boat is always in readiness to convey passengers across.

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HAVE PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING that they are prepared to contract for Well Sinking of every description. Old Wells repaired. Blasting, tunneling, and excavating on the most reasonable terms. Being practical men, they hope for a share of public patronage.

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For Melbourne Direct.

THE FAST-SAILING

Schooner Surprise,

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Carrying a limited number of Passengers.

NOW LYING ALONGSIDE THE H. B. Co.'s Wharf, will sail for the above port on or about the 7th proximo. Intending passengers who have not already secured their berths are requested to call without delay at the office of the undersigned and do so.

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Wharf street, opposite Yates.

Oct. 27th, 1862. oc27

THE SPLENDID

New, Light-draft, Stern-wheel

Steamer Reliance,

WM. IRVING,

WILL COMMENCE HER REGULAR TRIPS between New Westminster and Fort Yale, about the 6th of November.

Animals will be transported from Yale to any point on Fraser River at moderate rates. oc13 1m

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For New Westminster.

THE STEAMER

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Having been placed permanently on the line, will leave the UNION WHARF, connecting with the Up-River Steamers.

For Freight or Passage, which will be at the lowest rates, apply on board, or to I. BRODRICK, on the Wharf.

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THIS SPLENDID VESSEL WILL have quick despatch from Alberni, and will carry a few first class Passengers.

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For British Columbia & Vancouver Island.

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The superiority of the accommodation and entertainment on board the Royal Mail Steamers, together with the time occupied on the passage between England and Aspinwall **direct** being so much shorter than by any other route, and the moderate rate of passage money, render this Company's steamers the CHEAPEST AND MOST EXPEDITIOUS MEANS OF TRANSIT, for passengers or for the forwarding of Goods and Treasure from Aspinwall to Europe.

Under an arrangement with the PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO., Specie and Bullion can be conveyed to London and Havre in France

Further information on the subject of Freight and Passage Money will be furnished by the under signed.

ALEX. D. MACDONALD,
Agent.

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SELL EXCHANGE drawn at sight or on time, on
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GOLD DUST and Bullion purchased at the highest rates.

ADVANCES MADE on gold dust left for assay at Government Assay Office, New Westminster: or if sent for assay or coinage to United States Mint, San Francisco

Collections made on reasonable terms, and a

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Fire-proof Building, corner Yates and Wharf sts.,

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—OF—

English, French and American Goods,

OFFER FOR SALE BY LATE ARrivals,

30,000 yds Bleached Sheetings, 36 inches wide;
12,000 yds Brown Sheetings, 36 inches wide;
8,000 " " " suitable for House Lining;
40,000 yds French, English and American Prints;
BLANKETS—2¼-pt 3-pt, 3½ and 4 pt. all colors;

Also, a full assortment of Hosiery and Clothing, Boots and Shoes of all kinds; and a general assortment of goods for Indian Traders, all of which will be sold at the lowest prices, by

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oc20 1m corner Yates and Wharf streets.

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F. FABRE & CO.

WILL Manufacture at the VICTORIA SOAP WORKS, situated at Esquimalt, for the

WHOLESALE TRADE,

Commencing on the 1st of June, 1862,

No. 1 Chemical Olive Soap;
Family Pale Soap;
Extra Honey Toilet Soap,

AT SAN FRANCISCO PRICES.

WANTED, in exchange for our Soaps, all kinds of Tallow, clean Grease, at Cash Prices.

☞ Orders respectfully solicited.

W. M. G. HALL,
FRANK FABRE.

Victoria, 14th May, 1862. oc6

G. VIGNOLO & CO., Wharf street, Sole Agents for Victoria, V. I.

Notice to the Public.

SAINSEVAIN'S WINE BITTERS; OR California Vermouth.—These Bitters are obtaining a wide-spread celebrity in all parts of the State. It is sufficient evidence of their great merit to observe the large quantities shipped by our principal Wine Merchants to every part of the country.

Sainsevain, however, like all other manufacturers of new and valuable articles, has to contend with unscrupulous parties, who are introducing a spurious mixture purporting to be his Wine Bitters, which noxious compounds are put up in the same style of bottles, labels, etc., so as to pass for the Sainsevain brand. We call attention to this fact so that our citizens may be upon their guard, and that when they ask for Sainsevain's Bitters, see that they get them. As pure Wine is destined to drive from use all alcoholic decoctions, so these Bitters will soon take the place of the adulterated preparations which now flood our market. Those desiring a pure and agreeable tonic should try Sainsevain's Wine Bitters or California Vermouth.

We have appointed W. H. OLIVER, of Victoria, V. I., to be our Sole Agent for the British Possessions.

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Government Street.

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Children under 5 years, $3.

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HAVING BEEN APPOINTED AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to issue Policies for Fire Insurance, and to settle all claims without delay at their office.

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OFFICIAL NOTICES.

REAL ESTATE TAX.

Sheriff's Notice to Defaulters.

TOWN OF VICTORIA, TO WIT:—I hereby give notice to all those who have not paid their Real Estate Taxes, that a list of defaulters has been delivered to me by the Treasurer, and that taxes still remaining due WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE TREASURY UNTIL THE HOUR OF 3 P. M., ON TUESDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF NOVEMBER NEXT. After which date I shall, without further notice, proceed to levy for those still remaining in arrear, or in default, by sale of Real Estate, pursuant to the provisions of the Act

A list of defaulters will be published for inspection at the door of the Sheriff's office, from 9, A. M. to 3, P. M.

WM. BROOKE NAYLOR,
Sheriff of Vancouver Island.

Sheriff's Office, 27th October, 1862. oc28 1w

Vancouver Island Colony.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORK.

SEALED TENDERS, TO CUT AND clear a ten-foot Road from Nanaimo to Comox, a distance of 60 miles or thereabouts, according to a Plan and Specification to be seen at the Land Office, will be received at that Office until the 15th of next month. The usual securities required.

J. DESPARD PEMBERTON,
Surveyor General.

Office of Lands and Works, 23d Oct. 1862. oc24td

PROCLAMATION.

Vancouver Island.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
8th August, 1862.

THE GOVERNOR, WITH THE ADvice of the Council, directs it to be notified:

That, to any person or persons who shall first discover a profitable Gold Field within the Colony of Vancouver Island, and make known and describe to the Colonial Government the site and limits of the tract of land comprised in his or their discovery, there shall be paid the sum of One Thousand Pounds sterling (£1000), provided the monies received for Licenses issued for working the said tract of land be equal to that amount; and provided always that there shall have been proved to the satisfaction of the local Government, that there has been BONA FIDE raised and produced from the said tract or field, within Six Months of the issue of the said Licenses, an amount of Gold equal in value to not less than Ten Thousand Pounds (£10,000).

By His Excellency's Command,

WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

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Dickson, Campbell & Co.,

WHARF STREET,

HAVE ON SALE, EX RECENT ARRIVALS,

WINES AND SPIRITS.

BRANDY--Martell's Dark and Pale, in case and bulk;
Hennessey's Dark and Pale, in case and bulk;
Otard's Dark and Pale, in case and bulk;
Bonniot's Pale, in case;
Charente Vineyard Co.'s Pale, in case;
Imperial Cognac Co.'s Dark and Pale, in case and bulk;

OLD TOM--Swaine, Boord & Co.'s, in case and bulk;
Worthington's, in case and bulk;

GENEVA--J D K Z, anchor and other brands;

WHISKY--James Stewart & Co.'s, in case and bulk;
Robert Thin's Scotch and Irish, in case;
Royal Highland and Islay, in case;

RUM--Jamaica, in case and bulk;

SHERRY--Gordon's, in case and bulk;

PORT--Hunts, do do;

CHAMPAGNE--Jacquesson's, Guichard, Potheret, and other favorite brands;

BURGUNDY, HOCK, and other choice wines;

ALE--Burton Brewery, in case and bulk;
Bass' No. 3, in bulk;
Morice, Cox & Co 's, in case;

PORTER-- do do;

GINGER BRANDY, ORANGE BITTERS, CORDIALS, } Swain, Boord & Co.'s Worthington's, in case;

SCHNAPPS--Wolfe's Aromatic, in case;

OILMAN'S STORES---Coward's and other choice brands;

SARDINES--In ¼ and ½ boxes;

SUGAR--Crushed, Powdered and Yellow;

SOAP--Liverpool, Cork and Manilla;

BLANKETS--2¼ and 3 point, White and Blue;

RUGS--

CURRANTS--Muscatels and Jordan Almonds;

Good Assortment of Ready Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes in every variety, by best Makers.

GUNPOWDER--J Hall & Son's, of every description;

VINEGAR--C A. & W. Potts', in case and bulk;

CUTLERY--Good assortment, by best Sheffield Makers;

EASTERN BEEF--In bbls and half bbls;
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FIRE BRICKS--20,000 best make;

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FANCY GOODS, TOYS,

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☞ New Goods by every Steamer. oc13 3m

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COMMISSION AND GENERAL AGENTS,

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Orders for Purchases and Shipments of goods from the English and European markets executed with fidelity and despatch.

Consignments of Colonial Produce disposed of on the best possible terms.

Parcels and letters for Great Britain and Europe received and forwarded. oc17 1m

Evening School Re-Opened.

MESSRS JESSOP & CHISHOLM BEG to announce that they have resumed Evening Classes in the Central School, for giving instruction in an English, Mathematical and Commercial Education, together with Phonography, every MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY and FRIDAY evenings, from 7 to 9 o'clock.

TERMS.....$4 per Month.

Also, to state, that they have opened a

SINGING SCHOOL,

For giving instruction in VOCAL MUSIC, every Wednesday evening, at the same hours.

TERMS.....$2 per Month.

☞ Fees payable in advance. oc18

Just Received, ex "Cyclone:"

COLEMAN'S LONDON STARCH, No. 1;
Do. do ½-oz Thumb Blue;
Do. do Mustard, in lbs and ½ lbs.

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GOLD SCALES. GOLD SCALES.

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LONDON HOTEL,

Corner of Johnson and Broad streets.

MESSRS. JOHN & JOSEPH WRIGGLESWORTH,

PROPRIETORS.

THE ABOVE ESTABLISHMENT, which has been erected at considerable expense, and hard finished throughout, is now open; and as the Proprietors intend conducting it on purely English principles, they respectfully invite the patronage and support of their English friends.

COMFORTABLE PARLORS AND SMOKING ROOMS.

GOOD BEDROOMS, DOUBLE OR SINGLE.

BEST WINES and SPIRITS at lowest possible charges; and fine XXX STOUT always on DRAFT.
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ON THE ESQUIMALT ROAD,

Between the two Bridges.

J. W. CROMAR, HAVING JUST OPENED the above House, respectfully informs the traveling public that he keeps a large stock of the best Liquors, Ales, Wines and Cigars, and solicits their patronage. no1 1m

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PUBLIC BAR-ROOM,

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THIS HANDSOMELY FURNISHED Room is open to the public every day and evening, and affords a quiet retreat to all who may choose to visit it. The best brands of ALES, WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS are dispensed at the bar.

☞ This Hall is not a private club-room.
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London Coffee House

AND LUNCHEON BAR,

CORMORANT STREET.

THE PROPRIETORS HAVING OPENED THE above establishment, wish to draw the attention of the public to their scale of charges:

Breakfast, with plate of Meat.....25 cents
Dinner, from 12 o'clock.....37½ "
Cup of Coffee, Tea or Chocolate, with Bun, Cake, or Roll and Butter.....12½ "

BOARD per Week.....$4 00

Board and Lodging per Week.....$5 00

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ROYAL EXCHANGE,

CORNER OF FORT AND BROAD STS.,

KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND A choice supply of Ales, Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

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With or without Lodgings.

A FEW BOARDERS CAN FIND SUperior accommodations at reasonable rates, on Yates street, next door to the British American Hotel. Well Furnished Rooms also obtainable on moderate terms.

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Coffee and Pie House.

FORT STREET, OPEN FROM SIX in the morning till 12 at night.

Coffee or Tea, with Roll and Butter, 1 bit.
Mutton, Beef or Fruit Pie, 1 bit.
Baked Potatoes always ready. A Hot Joint from 12 till 2. Chops and Steaks, Sandwiches, Pies made to order. Beds procured and luggage stored.

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THE "ST. JAMES"

IS NOW OPEN FOR

LUNCHEONS, DINNERS, &c.

With Wines, Spirits, Ale, and Porter of the first brands.

A Hot Joint Daily at 1 O'clock.

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The Proprietor having engaged the services of a superior French Cook, the Culinary department cannot be surpassed.

Breakfast from 7 A. M. to 12 M.
Table d'Hote from 5½ to 7 P. M.
Board per Week, $12.

Suits of Rooms or Single Rooms, on reasonable terms.

An excellent Bar attached to the House.

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MEALS FURNISHED at ALL HOURS on the shortest notice and best style.

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THE FINEST WINES, PORTER, ALE

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HAVING GREATLY ENLARGED and fitted up and furnished in first rate style the above Lodging House, is now prepared to accommodate

One Hundred Persons.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S PARLORS

Rooms per Week.....from $2 to $7.
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Families Accommodated in the best Style

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Between Yates street and Johnson.

THIS COMMODIOUS HOTEL CONtains accommodations for 75 Lodgers. Rooms nicely Furnished and well Ventilated. Furniture New.

Board by the Day, Week or Month, payable in advance. The Proprietors having had several years experience in Hotel Keeping, trust by undivided attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

oc16 1m

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SPRING WATER BATHS.

LUNCH AT ALL HOURS.

LODGINGS,

GIPSEY HOUSE,

Next door to Colonial Hotel Government street.

oc7 1m

Gas Fixtures! Gas Fixtures!

Just received per Steamer "Sierra Nevada."

AN ASSORTMENT OF GAS FIXTURES, consisting of 2, 3, and 4 light Chandeliers, and 4 light Billiard Pendants. Also, a variety of 1 and 2 light Pendants, suitable for stores. 1, 2 and 3 Swing Baskets. Cut glass shades, and smoke consumers, etc., etc.

Also an invoice of Iron Gas Pipes, with Fittings to match.

Gas fitting done, either with Iron or Composition Pipe. Our Friends who have kindly waited on us will now be attended to.

WALLACE & STEWART.
oc8 1m Langley Alley, Yates street

NOTICES.

Reply to a Notice Headed "Caution."

WITH REFERENCE TO AN ADVERtisement which appeared in the COLONIST of the 25th inst., signed Mrs. Elizabeth Thorne, the undersigned desires to state, that the only property belonging to him in which Mrs. Elizabeth Thorne MAY, BY CHANCE, claim any right of dower, is ONE ACRE, situated on Cook street, which is the only real estate he ever purchased of her husband, Mr. Jas. Thorne; and, moreover, that Mrs Elizabeth Thorne's interest in the same is ENTIRELY CONTINGENT ON HER SURVIVING HER HUSBAND

EDWARD CREEN.

October 27th, 1862. oc27 tf

Notice to Carpenters and Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL Thursday, the 6th day of November, for the erection of Two Brick stores on Fort street, near Douglas.

The plans and Specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

WRIGHT & SANDERS.
oc31 td Architects.

Office corner Yates and Langley streets.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of WILLIAM McDONALD, deceased.

SALE OF SECTION SIXTY-SEVEN, IN Victoria District, 100 acres of Land, with Improvements.

Whereas, by an Order made by the Honorable David Cameron, Chief Justice, on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1862, the undersigned was empowered to sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, (after two weeks public notice, to be given in the newspapers) all that piece of Land known as Section Sixty seven (67), in Victoria, belonging to the Estate of the late William McDonald, deceased intestate.

This is therefore to give notice that said Land will be sold at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, at the Auction Rooms of J. A. McCrea, Wharf street, on Thursday, the 13th day of November next, at the hour of noon, when terms of sale will be made known.

THOS. G. WILLIAMS,
Official Administrator.

P. S.—Persons desirous of information in regard to title, improvements, quality of land, etc., are requested to call upon the Registrar of the Supreme Court, at his office, in the Court House, oc29 1tt

NOTICE.

THE MEMBERS OF THE CONGREgation Emanuell, as well as other Israelites, will take notice that Divine Service will take place on Holydays and Sabbaths in Smith's brick building, on Government street

Seats can be secured of David Shirpser, on Yates street, near Wharf, or of the undersigned.

A. HOFFMAN, Secretary,
oc23 Corner Yates and Government streets.

Victoria Gas Co., Limited.

NOTICE.

THE ATTENTION OF CONSUMERS of gas and of gass fitters is directed to the Rules and Regulations of the Company, copies of which may be obtained on application at the Company's Office, at the works.

By order of the Board of Directors.

oc17 tf C. W. R. THOMPSON, Secretary.

Removal:

DURING THE ERECTION OF MY new Brick Building on Government street, my business will be carried on in Fort street, near the corner of Government.

W. M. SEARBY, Chemist and Druggist.

Victoria, V. I., Sep. 16, 1862. oc17 tf

Notice of Removal.

MR. DAVIE FROM ENGLAND (MEMBER OF the Royal College of Surgeons and Licentiate of the Society of Apothecaries, London), has removed to his New Office, next door to the Globe Hotel, and opposite his former office, Government street. oc13 1m

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY APPOINTED Messrs. SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE my Agents in Vancouver Island and British Columbia for the sale of the celebrated Chas. Farre Champagne, and also for all Wines, Cognacs, &c., imported by me from France.

J. VAILLANT.

Victoria, V. I., Sept. 11, 1862.

☞ Mr. Chas. Farre supplies the Emperor of the French and the Queen of Spain with his Wine, and obtained the First Gold Medal at the General Exhibition. oc12 1m

Estate of James Bell, Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Executors of the last Will of James Bell, deceased, to the Creditors of said deceased, and to all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary Vouchers, within Two Months from the date of this Notice to the undersigned, at the Bank of Macdonald & Co., Victoria.

ALEX. D. MACDONALD,
JOHN WRIGHT,
Executors.

Victoria, V. I., Sept. 11, 1862. se12

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GOVERNMENT STREET,

In the lower story of

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Is now prepared to offer the largest assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods ever exhibited in Victoria, consisting of Messrs. Davis & Jones' Patent Shirts, (of New York), and L. Atkinson's Improved Shoulder Seam Patent Shirts, (of Philadelphia)

Just received, the latest styles of

BALTIC SHIRTS,

from London. Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stockings and Hose, Gents Shaker Flannel Undershirts and Drawers. Also, a fine lot of Derby and Saxony

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White and Colored Marseilles Shirts, a full assortment Gents Superfine Manchester Gingham Shirts, a magnificent assortment of

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a new style of Gents Fine Cassimere Comforters and Opera Scarfs, the Latest styles of Davis & Jones' celebrated superfine patent

White and Colored Shirts,

and is also receiving by every Steamer those beautiful

BYRON SHIRTS,

of all sizes, varying from 13 to 20 inches around the neck. Ladies should call and examine those

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for winter wear. Orders sent through Express for Shirts, by sending the size of the neck, I will guarantee to fit. Orders filled for all parts of

British Columbia & Puget Sound.

I shall receive fresh Goods by every arrival from London. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves, ex Grecian. A fine lot of

GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES,

for the Fall and Winter trade.

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a fine lot of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk Umbrellas high finish